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**"AN ACT CONCERNING PENSION AND OTHER BENEFITS FOR
STATE EMPLOYEES SERVING IN THE MILITARY."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 5-247 of the general statutes is
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
5 *October 1, 2005*):

6 (a) (1) Each appointing authority shall grant, on account of illness or
7 injury, to each full-time employee in a permanent position in the state
8 service who has furnished satisfactory proof of such illness or injury,
9 such sick leave with pay as has accrued to [his] such employee's credit
10 at the rate of one and one-quarter working days for each completed
11 calendar month of continuous full-time service which may be
12 computed on an hourly basis. Hourly computation of sick leave shall
13 not diminish benefit entitlement.

14 (2) Each appointing authority shall grant to each full-time employee

15 in a permanent position in the state service who has furnished
16 satisfactory proof of (A) the birth or adoption of a child of the
17 employee, or (B) a serious illness of a child, spouse or parent of the
18 employee, up to two weeks of such sick leave with pay as has accrued
19 to the employee's credit pursuant to subdivision (1) of this subsection.

20 (3) On or before [October 1, 1980] January 1, 2006, the Commissioner
21 of Administrative Services shall adopt regulations, in accordance with
22 chapter 54, concerning the accrual, prorating and granting of sick leave
23 with pay to other employees in the state service and extending sick
24 leave with pay or with part pay for longer periods to full-time
25 permanent employees disabled through illness or injury. Such
26 regulations shall specify that such other employees are entitled to use
27 up to two weeks of accumulated sick leave upon the birth or adoption
28 of a child of such employee, or upon the serious illness of a child,
29 spouse or parent of such employee.

30 (4) Each such employee who retires under the provisions of chapter
31 66 shall be compensated, effective as of the date of [his] retirement, at
32 the rate of one-fourth of such employee's salary for sick leave accrued
33 to [his] such employee's credit as of [his] such employee's last day on
34 the active payroll up to a maximum payment equivalent to sixty days'
35 pay. Such payment for accumulated sick leave shall not be included in
36 computing retirement income and shall be charged by the State
37 Comptroller to the department, agency or institution in which the
38 employee worked.

39 (5) For purposes of this subsection, "serious illness" means an
40 illness, injury, impairment or physical or mental condition that
41 involves (A) inpatient care in a hospital, hospice or residential care
42 facility, or (B) continuing treatment or continuing supervision by a
43 health care provider."